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**PATENT**

Docket No. 380112-141

**Applicant:** Cheng

**Serial No.:** 09/602,049

**Filing Date:** June 23, 2000

**Title:** Golf Club Shaft Having  
Multiple Metal Fiber Layers

**Group Art Unit:** 3711

**Examiner:** Blau

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding office action for the above-identified application. Our check for \$55 for the fee is enclosed. We authorize the Commissioner to charge any additional fees to our deposit account No. 50-0638.

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